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Coming Events

YES!

I will meet you at the Strathmore I.O.O.F., Maquarade Hall, Friday, February 13th. Costumes to be judged 10:30 sharp, after that the floor will be open to all comers. Dance commences 9 o'clock prompt. Costumes to rent for Maquarade Hall at Fox's Store, 9th to 12th.

Dressmaking, Suits, Coats, or Sewing of any kind. Call and see Miss Chase, or Phone 18, Strathmore.

\$2000

Crossword Puzzle Prizes
The Newcastle Coal Co., Chas. Keeling, Strathmore dealer, offers prizes amounting to \$2000 for the best solution to an interesting crossword puzzle contest.
Any person is eligible to send in a solution. Get an entry form from—CHAS. KEELING, Strathmore, and get busy now. Solutions have to be in by March 1st.

AUCTION SALE

OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE
Instructed by P. A. Cott, I will sell at the house on sixth street.

Saturday, Feb. 14th
at 1 p.m.

1 Kessler Cabinet Grand Piano, Oak Dining Room Suite (8 pieces), Oak Drawers, Oak Settee, 3 Oak Rockers, 2 Dining Room Tables, Kitchen Chairs, 3 Piece Solid Mahogany Bedroom Suite, Oak Centre Table, Dining Set, Tea Set (100 pieces) 2 Walnut finished Steel Beds, 1 Brass Bed, 3 Ostermattresses, Several Small Rugs, 1 Auto Robe, 2 Axminster Rugs, 2 Gasoline Lamps, 1 Set Meccano, Washing Machine and Winger, Wash Boiler, Tub, 1 Barber Oil Stove with oven, Dishes and all Kitchen Utensils, Oil Heater, Gas-Cat, Doll Pram, Child's Furniture, Vacuum Carpet Sweeper, Drive Belt Pulley, Cook Stove, and a lot of things too numerous to mention. Art Oakland Heater, Monarch Malleable Steel Bed, 1 PINTO RHETLAND PONY.

— Terms Cash —
A. LAYZELL
Auctioneer

Municipal Matters

No Elections for Strathmore Council or School Board.

All Round and Harmonious Meetings
Nominations for Mayor and Councillors of the Town of Strathmore took place on Monday, with the result that the following were nominated and elected to the Town Council: Mayor—H. W. B. Bell (second term). Councillors—Dr. A. W. Gilvin, R. Ingle, J. H. Miller, and R. Bailey. D. P. Boissevain was nominated, but declared ineligible, and the nomination of A. D. Shrimpton was withdrawn, as was also one on the School Board. Messrs Chas. Keeling and John Taylor have another year of office to run, and this completes the Council. Messrs Fox, Hyde, Tompkins, and Wright did not seek re-election.

School Elections
The School Board elections were also by acclamation, the only change in the composition of the Board being that M. S. Hirtle replaces J. Thomson, who did not stand for re-election.

Town Ratepayers' Meeting
The annual meeting of the ratepayers of the Town of Strathmore was held on Friday evening, there being about a dozen ratepayers present. The criticisms evoked were generally mild, the principal ones being: the Council paid too much for tax collection fees, the quality of the ice at present being taken from the lake, which it was alleged was dirty, and the smell from a local septic tank.

Mayor Bell, in presenting the report for the Council, said that the town was in very good financial shape. There was no floating debt, and there was money in the bank to the credit of both town and school accounts. During the last two years the per capita indebtedness had been decreased from \$16.60 to \$4.00. They would probably be able to reduce the taxes still further this year. The principal unforeseen expenditures this year were in connection with the fire in July. At the conclusion of the meeting a unanimous vote of thanks was passed to the Council for their services.

School Meeting
The annual meeting of the ratepayers of Strathmore School District was held on Thursday evening in the Town Hall. Only two ratepayers were present, and there was no criticism. The reports of the trustees, principal, and auditor, were read, and it was decided to publish these in the Standard for the information of the ratepayers. These reports are published in this issue, next issue a letter from the chairman of the Board, dealing with the expenditures during the past ten years, will appear.

Bow Valley Confirms Secretary's Appointment

A special meeting of the Council of M. D. Bow Valley was held on Wednesday, those present being Reeve Chamberlain, and Councillors Wheeler, Lausen, and Weyers.

A letter was read from the Department of Municipal Affairs, stating that the action of the Council's committee in appointing a secretary-treasurer without confirmation by the full Council was not in order. The Committee should have reported their decision to the Council for ratification.

Mr. Wheeler moved that the Council do not approve the report of the Committee, but was outvoted by the remainder of the Council. Mr. Weyers then moved the appointment of Mr. D. N. Gardiner, which was carried.

Lots at Carseland
The Council decided not to approve of a suggested cancellation of some lots in Carseland by the C.P.R. It was decided to write the Town of Strathmore, stating that the town was running over the road past the C.P.R. Demonstration Park, and rendering it impassable.

The Council accepted a contract with the Strathmore Standard for the Municipal printing during 1925.

Langdon Locals

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gohens are expecting the arrival of a baby girl, born Monday, January 26th.

The Girls' Club Tea had to be postponed on account of the severe weather. The date will be given later.

Quite a number of people went to Calgary via motor car this last week. The welcome chinook wind blowing today will help to open the roads.

The Galey orchestra will furnish music for the Rebekah dance, Feb. 13. Farmers are very busy hauling grain to town.

Mr. C. Graham is making an extended visit to points in Ontario. His eldest son will return with him.

Nightingale Notes

Nearly all the members were present at the U.F.W.A. meeting held at Mrs. Thurston's last Wednesday and quite a number of visitors. After the roll call reports were given by the convention delegates, followed by a very interesting and instructive lecture over the radio on "How to take care of the teeth." This was appreciated by all present. Arrangements were made for the annual U.F.A. and U.F.W.A. supper to be held Friday, February 6th. After lunch was served the ladies had lots to say and it was hard to tell when some of them did get away.

The next meeting is to be held on February 12th, at the home of Mrs. F. H. Harrison.

No from cases of measles having been reported, Nightingale school reopened on Monday.

Valley Gardens Social Club met as usual last Friday night. On account of the severe weather the turnout was small.

Hockey Dance

Notwithstanding severely cold weather the dance held in the Memorial Hall on Friday evening, under the auspices of Strathmore Hockey Club, was well attended and an enjoyable evening was spent to the music of Mrs. Turner's Orchestra. The super-hetery drum radio set was won by Steve Turvey, with ticket 550.

As a result of the dance proceeds the club is now able to liquidate their indebtedness, and the skating rink is now free of debt, an achievement which does much credit to the boys.

The boys wish to thank Mrs. D. French for putting on the supper at the dance, and also thank the others who assisted in the success of the event.

Owing to the cold weather, the hockey game which was to have taken place the same evening between Glenora and Strathmore was called off.

Horse Sale

Monday, March 9th, has been fixed by the committee in charge of the arrangements, as the date of the horse sale referred to in last week's issue. Entry forms are being prepared, and will be available in the course of a few days.

The committee wish to emphasize the fact that horses must weigh 1250 pounds at least, be sound, broke, and they must be in good condition. Entry forms and full information can be obtained from Mr. F. J. Dunn, Strathmore, Alta., phones 55 and 98. Those intending to enter horses for the sale should arrange to do so at once so that full benefit can be got from the advertising throughout Canada, which will be done by the Alberta Horse Breeder's Association.

News Items Held Over

Owing to demands on our space this week, caused by the annual February bank of financial statements, etc., a number of articles and news items are unavoidably held over. These include: Curling Notes (contributed); Slits Dairy.

Letter from Chairman Strathmore School Board.

Deleter News.
Report: Carseland C.G.I.T. Mother and Daughter Banquet.

Playboy Notes.
Special Rockyford Article.
Craigslist News.

The above articles will be published in next issue.

Weather Report

Supplied by C. P. Irrigation Dept.

January 27th to February 2nd, 1925		
27	3.5	-3.0
28	12.2	-13.2
29	3.5	-11.0
30	-10.2	-11.0
31	-11.0	-24.5
1	41.0	-22.0
2	42.6	-22.0

Iricana News

Mrs. J. W. McCulloch is critically ill at the family residence, Nurse Park, of Keoma, is attending to Mrs. McCulloch.

Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Nance have returned from the city accompanied by Master Oklahoma, a weaner.

Miss Nina Howden, of Kersey, has returned from a two-week holiday at Barons, where Miss Howden was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Daly.

Due to the severe weather of Friday last, the Burns' supper, which was to be held at Kersey school house, is postponed until the Friday evening following.

Jack Fielden and P. Peterson were Calgary visitors during the week. During the sojourn of these gentlemen in the city, they made the acquaintance of some of Calgary's leading citizens.

Mr. and Mrs. Kurtz returned on Friday from a two months holiday at the coast.

Mrs. Andrew Archibald is visiting her sister, Miss Lilly Cameron, in Calgary.

Miss Jessie, and Miss Betty Howden, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Howden, who are attending the Garbutt Business College, Calgary, are visiting at their father's ranch over the week-end.

Keoma's flying five defeated Iricana Tigers 4-3 in a fast game of hockey on Saturday. The one-minute round, where Margie of Greenacery rules were ignored, was declared a draw by referee McWay.

Curlers acquire a remarkable thirst after a strenuous week at the marin game. Hustle Jimmie, every hour we need these!

After going down to defeat last season in the Alberta Pacific, we rallied considerably in the Brewery Cup competition, until Fred Davis shot a hole-in-one and cracked Ralph's stone.

Roy Smith successfully accomplished what carpenter work was necessary for the whole contingent. We were too stiff ourselves to wiggle a hammer handle after the hard-fought game.

Geo. W. Hindson made an excellent skip for the Iricana "Cots", whose ages aggregated four score years and ten, and weighed eight hundred avoirdupois. Apart from all that, however, we were acclimated by the lady spectators to have the distinction of being the handsomest and most spirited on the ice.

We were recognized by the rink management as the big four with the little brown grip.
Fred's artistic pose when plotting an important shot was frankly commended on by the lady curlers, who occupied the adjoining rink. Wonderful how he does it, remarked Mrs. Donnelly, to her lady lead, very remarkable indeed returned the handsome lady curler. Severe, dammit, sweep, roared off good-naturedly. We swept a couple of large blisters on both hands ourselves, but Freddie bent on smoking just the same.

The evening entertainments were the fifth of the campaign. Frank Butler, an ex-strathmore chalmaster insisted in opening the concert by warbling that always sweet-sounding ditty: "Aie, Aie, the Ganes All Here."

Several farmers west of town complain bitterly of the wretched condition of the roads. Numerous upsets have occurred, and the loss of several loads of golden grain reported.

Mr. Elliott is engaged loading three cars of beef cattle for the Calgary market.

The Iricana curlers will get so flat in all the finals at Calgary have decided to change their luck at the Back Bonnet and will leave Iricana on or about the 11th.

A Slip That Comes Early Every Year



Ernest Torrence and Anna Q. Nilsson in Herbert Brenson production "The Side Show of Life" A Paramount Picture

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With
ERNEST TORRENCE — ANNA Q. NILSSON
MEMORIAL HALL

Saturday, February 7th, 1925

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with colored borders
11 1/4 at \$2.30
The big size 12 1/4
at \$2.60

WHITE FLANNELETTE

Regular 25c, 5 yards
for 95c

Children's
COMBINATIONS
Regular value \$1.35
SALE \$1.09

Ladies' House
DRESSES AND
APRONS
Regular value 95c
SALE 69c
Regular value \$1.50
SALE \$1.19

CORSETS AND
BRASSIERES
Regular value 85c
SALE 65c
Regular value \$1.35
SALE 99c

HOSIERY
Ladies Black and
Brown Cotton Hose,
4 prs. for 95c

ALL WOOL
Heather Mixtures,
Reg. \$1.25, SALE 95c

Strong
COTTON HOSE
For Boys and Girls
In Black and Brown,
4 prs. for 95c

BARGAINS
in
LADIES' WINTER
COATS
Regular value \$25.00,
SALE \$17.50
Regular value \$30.00,
SALE \$21.95

Billy Burke's Flannel
DRESSES
Regular value \$8.95,
SALE \$6.50

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of choice varieties, in-
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Spitzburg, Yellow
Newtown, Rome
Beauty, Baldwins, On-
tarios, Paragon and
Pippins, case, \$2.75
to \$3.25

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At prices that we can
with every confidence
recommend you to lay
in at least a month's
Supply.

Fine Granulated
SUGAR
10lb. bags 89c
20lb. bags \$1.75
100lb. bags \$8.50

ROLLED OATS
8lb. bags 50c
20lb. bags \$1.00

PURE JAMS
Strawberry Rasp-
berry, Loganberry,
Blackberry, 4lb. pails
for 80c

PURE PLUM JAM
4lb. pails 65c

Seedless
RAISINS
per pound 11c

Red Rose and Blue
Ribbon
TEAS
per pound 65c

TOMATO SOUPS
2 tins for 25c
White Napha and
Gold Soap, 15 bars
for \$1.00
Large packet of Chip-
so Soap Flakes 25c

TOBACCO
At Right Prices
McDonalds Chewing
6 large plugs \$1.00
Stag Chewing, 5 plugs
for 65c
Payroll, 5 plugs, 65c
Smilax Chewing, per
plug 10c
King George, plug 10c
McDonalds Smoking,
6 large plugs \$1.00
McDonalds, Bucking-
ham, Ogdon, Old
Virginia, Royal
Navy, fine or coarse
cut, 1/2lb. tin 65c
Hudson Bay Cut Plug
1/2lb. tin \$1.00
Amber, 1/2lb. tin 55c
Matinee Leaf, the
French tobacco, 1/2
pounds 35c

MEN'S LEATHER VESTS

Storm collars and
cutis, Reg. \$10.50,
SALE \$6.95

BOYS' MACKINAW COATS

All wool, with shawl
collars, Reg. \$7.50,
SALE \$4.95

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With shawl collars,
All good patterns,
Regular value \$9.50,
SALE \$5.95

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MACKINAWS
Regular \$15.95,
SALE \$10.95

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Stanfield's heavy
"Red Label" Com-
binations, Reg. \$4.75,
SALE \$3.25
Heavy Fleece lined
Combinations, Reg.
\$2.50, SALE \$1.75

MEN'S BUCKLE
OVERSHOES
No. 1 Quality, Reg.
\$2.95, SALE \$2.29

BOYS' VESTS AND DRAWERS

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lar price up to \$1.
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SALE 95c

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Galatea and Oxford
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SALE 99c

TOILET SOAP
large size, fancy
Palmolive, 3 cakes
for 25c

LIFE BUOY SOAP
3 for 25c

Carceland Centre-shots

For the week ending, which be-
cause today, here is the subject of
this article, to require on Friday evening
was postponed on account of the
snow weather.

Mrs. Hans Lausen is reported to be
a better.

This is the week of the big play,
everybody should be on hand next
Friday night, not only to enjoy an
evening's high class entertainment, but
also to show their appreciation of the
effort of those taking part.

The organization that has laid do-
main for nearly a year, came suddenly
to life, even to the extent of holding
two well attended meetings last week.
An organization with as many mem-
bers as the Carceland Board of Trade
should be a force of much good in the
community, and in working in con-
junction with other organizations
could go far in furthering the in-
terests of town and country.

The financial condition of the town
fund is in excellent condition, so
good in fact that the charge for water
for the coming year is reduced from
1.50 per month to 75c.

The teachers spent last weekend in
Calgary.

It may be of interest to many to
know that every other Friday after-
noon the school children put on a
very excellent entertainment.

The U.F.A. held a very interesting
meeting on Saturday afternoon. One
of the items taken up was a petition
to the redistribution board to have
that part of township 21, lying north
of Bow River, and township 22 taken
out of Macleod federal constituency
and put in Bow River constituency.

The U.F.A. is organizing a bowling
team, and issue a challenge to the
Strathmore U.F.A. to a game at Strath-
more in the near future. Particulars
may be had by calling W. Bergquist
or Bert Duffer. This may be quite
a departure from activities usually
sponsored by the U.F.A., but it is a
long winter, and the price of wheat
is high.

Mrs. Bentz was taken sick very sud-
denly last Saturday.
Mr. J. Jamieson and family have
been suffering the last week from a
malady having all the earmarks of
the flu. At date of writing they are
a little better.

The recent spectacular rise in the
price of wheat has made some in the
community very happy, and then
again some aren't talking about it.

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'A Poor Married Man'
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FEBRUARY 6th, 1925
Curtain Rises at 8.30 prompt
— Everybody Come —

LOCAL JOYTTINGS

OF LOCAL INTEREST
Readers are requested to send
in items for this column not lat-
er than 12 o'clock Monday morn-
ing, preceding day of publication. All
local news items are welcomed
by the Standard. Phone 17 or 26.

As there has been a widespread re-
port that I have been away from my
practice during the past month, and
intended to be away for some further
time, I would like to advise my good
friends in the district that I have no
intention of being away, and that I
have only been absent two days in the
past few months. As this has caused con-
siderable inconvenience to some of my
patients as well as to myself, I would
like to say that from now on I have
no absolutely unavoidable visits. What
is made through the Carceland Board of Trade.

A large number of essays have been
received in the school "Trading-A-
Home" Competition. These will be
submitted to the judges this week,
and the result will probably be an-
nounced in about two weeks time.

The success of the Hockey Club's
endeavor to clear off the debt on the
rink is largely due to the action of
those who had loans to the club, in-
cluding out loans in dance tickets.
They deserve thanks for their public
spirited action in this regard, particu-
larly as none of them was the rick.
One man in the country is said to
have been so confident of getting the
radio that he brought along a box to
take it back in.

The Financial Statement of M. D.
Bow Valley for the year 1924 appear
in our columns this week. The annual
ratepayers' meeting will be held in
Strathmore Saturday, February 21st.

Due to the advance in wheat and
four prices, the price of bread has
risen.



ESTELLE AND JACK

A new photograph of the well-known
screen star, Estelle Taylor, and the
equally noted pugilistic celebrity, Jack
Dempsy. The pictures have been in-
cluded in the public prints more or less
in the last few months, but both main-

tain that they are just the best of
friends.
Miss Taylor's husband had his at-
torney notify her to come to Philadel-
phia and accept service in a divorce
action. He denied reports that he

Spring Horse Sale

Under the auspices of The Alberta Horse
Breeders Association, at
Strathmore, Monday, March 9, 1925

TERMS: Entry forms and information can be secured from F. J. Dunn, of
Strathmore, and must be in by February 17, 1925. Horses entered after Feb-
ruary 17, will be sold as entered. Entry fee at time of entry, \$1.00 for each
horse to pay for advertising, etc. 2 per cent. will be deducted off sale price as
commission for selling. Horses should be in place for inspection 24 hours be-
fore Sale starts. The seller guarantees horses to be as represented. All horses
will be subject to inspection by a committee with power to reject inferior or
unfitted horses.

To The Sellers

It is well to take note of the fact that the better the horses are fitted the better
prices are realized. This was the experience of last year's sale at High River.
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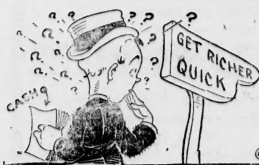
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**ADVERTISE****Rockyford Locals**

Father H. A. Boix left Monday morning on an extended tour through the U.S.A. on a musical recital programme. We wish him every success.

There will be no service in St. Louis Church on Sunday first. Announcements re further services will be made later.

The Rockyford Ladies Club met on January 23 at the home of Mrs. Law Miller. Second vice-president, Mrs. Pomeroy presided. On the resignation of Mrs. J. Weiss as president, Mrs. Pomeroy was elected by acclamation to the position. About 17 members attended, with three visitors. One new member was enrolled. The committee on the hall and on the cribbage tournament gave favorable reports. Mrs. Law Miller gave the financial report. The club realised \$82.50 on the cribbage tournament, including \$15.00 from the lunch counter. Notice of the next meeting will be given in the Standard.

The close of the cribbage tournament will be on Friday, February 13, in the Masonic Hall. A splendid programme is under preparation, and a dance will close the entertainment. Prizes will be awarded to the winners of the tournament.

Rockyford Gaiety Club met on Friday, January 27, at the home of Miss Pauline Griffiths. The following officers were elected for the ensuing term: President, Miss Paula Pomeroy; Vice-President, Miss Cora Wambold; Sec.-Treas., Miss Florence Carpenter. At the close of the business session, lunch was served and the meeting adjourned. The club's next meeting will be held at Miss Wambold's on February 4th.

We are glad to be able to report that Mrs. C. W. Griffiths is progressing favorably at the General Hospital, Calgary.

The broom ball game was postponed last week owing to the inclemency of the weather. Weather permitted the schedule will be continued next week.

The Rockyford Girls' Gaiety Club dance last Friday was quite a success despite the bad weather. The girls realised a good sum towards the hall.

Dr. M. E. Tiffin left Thursday evening on a few days visit to his brother at Cranbrook, B.C.

Mr. Harvey Katterhagen has been appointed assistant manager of the Eagle-Globe Oil Company. See Harvey for your oil and coal.

Mr. J. Becker, Calgary, made a business trip to Rockyford last week.

A toboggan party will be held on February 7, at Tudor, under the auspices of the Young People's Society of Tudor. Everybody welcome. Lunch will be served.

An All-Winter Fuel Supply -- In One Lump!

When the wintry winds rattle the tops of windows and a chill runs up and down your spine as you see the coal supply getting low—wouldn't you like to wake up some morning and find a lump of coal as big as the one shown above, parked in your back yard?

Horse Breeders**Will Organise**

A meeting attended by thirty-five to forty farmers in Rockyford and Tudor vicinity, was held in the basement of the Union Church last Saturday to discuss plans for the formation of a Horse Breeders' Club. Mr. Wilson, of the Live Stock Branch of the Department of Agriculture, was in attendance and gave a detailed outline of the plan, by which the Federal Government assists farmers to club together. Considerable enthusiasm was displayed, but as there was some misunderstanding regarding the date of the meeting it was decided to adjourn till Saturday, February 7th.

It was the feeling of the meeting that a good many more farmers would have attended if the meeting had been better advertised. It is to the interest of every farmer in the district to attend this meeting on the 7th. The financial assistance given by the Government is worth while, besides the value of the scheme in developing a better and more uniform class of horses. Do not forget the date, February 7, 2 p.m. at the Union Church, Rockyford.

Resend Notes

Mr. H. Summers is stopping pretty lively again after displaying his beautiful Silver-faced Wyandotte chickens at Edmonton, and receiving many of the first prizes.

Mrs. Thorne, our postmistress, has been ill with gripe during the past week.

Another successful whist drive last week. Mrs. Robt. Way and Mr. R. W. Brunner are still smiling over their winnings that eve, while Mrs. Sylvia Nicholson and Bill Menz stand amongst themselves with their 11 Chinese puzzles. We are pleased to have the friends from the north side join us at the card parties, and wish they would come out to our U.P.A. meetings. We are a pretty good organization if you will only get acquainted with us.

R. W. Brunner, A. E. Vigor, and Mr. Nicklessen were Calgary visitors last week.

Warren Riley is in our midst again. Our progressive storekeepers, Christensen and Jensen, have purchased the old Martin building and will soon move their stock of fine groceries and meats to their new place of business. Several automobiles were in use last week.

One of our good friends told us that Spring was near from all indications. Now, doesn't that sound good, even if it isn't true?

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Wheat Gambling

The amount of speculation that has taken place in wheat during the past two weeks, principally by people who are city dwellers, is another argument for the Wheat Pool. Speculation in the necessities of life is vicious in principle, and in the long run harmful to producer and consumer both.

There was some excuse for speculation under the old system, by which the farmer wanted cash for his grain on delivery, while the ultimate consumer did not get it for six months or more afterwards. Someone had to provide the cash. Under the pool system the farmer is content with a share of the price on delivery, borrowing co-operatively from the banks on his grain shipped for this payment.

L. F. Wise, a witness before the British Food Commission now sitting, among other things advocated the making of bulk contracts for wheat with organized producers, especially in the Dominions.

A policy of this kind, with the pool farmer being assured of a guaranteed fair price for a five year period, would do a great deal to improve farming conditions in Canada.

Speculation in wheat benefits the few at the expense of the many. The smaller speculator is more to be pitied than condemned, for in the majority of cases he loses, but the larger very seldom gets what the minor speculator loses.

Letter to the Editor

The Municipal Appointment

Dear Sir,

The paragraph in your issue of 21st last, regarding the recent appointment of a secretary-treasurer for the M. D. of Bow Valley, requires some elucidation in view of the fact that a considerable amount of dissatisfaction thereabout has been expressed by the ratepayers in certain divisions, and I believe it is due these ratepayers to be informed of the somewhat haphazard method employed on the occasion. Both sides of the question are better, than one.

Your readers will remember on the day applications closed, one of the councillors moved the appointment of a committee to prosecute the appointment, then handed in his resignation and also his application for the vacant position. This action left the district without a council, as the fourth councillor necessary to form a quorum was out of the country, meantime, notwithstanding the absence of a majority of a body representing the public the Reeve, whose duty is "to be vigilant and active in causing the laws governing the municipality to be duly executed," went straight ahead with the support of one other councillor, appointed a candidate who had not yet been seen by the committee, and notified said candidate of his appointment, evidently in ignorance, that, in addition to other mistakes, the ratification of the Department was necessary before such appointment was valid.

Briefly the blunders perpetuated are: First—that a committee had not the power to appoint a secretary-treasurer; Second—that when the appointment was made Bow Valley was without a council, and Third—that no appointment is valid without the ratification of the Department of Municipal Affairs.

The proceedings appeared to your correspondent to be somewhat "fishy," and my conviction was that the Reeve and his cringing brother knew the successful candidate personally. This conviction was strengthened by the whole procedure employed, but I am informed that the committee made the appointment solely on the application and references of the "man" and I have to accept that statement in good

faith. This, however, does not affect the conduct of the Reeve as a business man, and it is difficult to find an excuse for the methods employed. Any man having the confidence to occupy the responsible position of Reeve or councillor should at least have some acquaintance with the various procedures necessary to keep his Council out of trouble.

The final act in this "Comedy of Errors" was played recently, when a quorum of the Council met to advise ways and means of relieving the situation, when the minority members of the famous committee, no doubt, to save the face of the Council, gave his support to the committee, and appointed their nominee in a constitutional manner.

The ratepayers are advised to take a livelier interest in municipal affairs, and endeavour to put the best men in office for the sake of efficient local government, and to obviate mistakes which may some day prove costly.

Yours truly,

JOHN F. LAWRIE

Nanaka, Jan. 20, 1925.

Cheadle Notes

Dick Kayes is home from Calgary for awhile anyway. He does not know if he will take anymore treatments for his arm or not.

Orrie Edwards and son, Richard, were in Calgary for a few days, while Buster was having his tonsils removed. Rossie, Leonard, and Gerald Edwards were Shepard visitors during the week and have Miss Tarrant, formerly of Langdon, visiting with them now.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. Haley, on the 25th. Mother and baby are doing fine at last report.

Wm. Reid, T. Dickie were visitors in Calgary during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Payne are home again after a month spent in visiting friends and relatives in Ontario. Quite a number from this district took in the hockey club dance at Strathmore on the 29th.

Jack McLean is shipping several cars of cattle this week, if the weather permits.

J. W. Payne shipped a car of hogs to Calgary on Thursday.

The telephone linemen have been busy for a few days during the past week putting in a new rural line for all the homes west and north-west of the village.

Balemead Doings

Mr. T. Stewart returned on Friday, January 30th, from Coleman, where she has been visiting her grandfather.

Mr. R. Wheeler, and Mr. B. Behn were in Calgary on January 31, and witnessed the hockey game between Calgary and Saskatoon.

A birthday party was held at the Vanalstene home in Calgary on January 31. All those present spent a very pleasant time.

Charles Chilton, from Cairns, Alta., is back in Balemead, and will help in Mr. Orton's store.

The U.F.A. meeting for last Friday afternoon, and dance for the evening, were both postponed on account of the severe weather.

The annual meeting for the Oakland S. D. was held on January 31, and quite a number of delegates. An extra trustee had to be elected and Martin Van Der Velde was elected secretary for the year. The other trustees are: H. E. Porter and Fred Dalton.

The Junior U.F.A. are going to hold their monthly meeting next Saturday afternoon. An interesting programme has been prepared, including a debate, games, and songs and a real good time is in store for everyone.

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Financial Statement for Year Ending Dec. 31st

W. G. WAY, Secretary - Treasurer.

RECEIPTS		DISBURSEMENTS	
Credit Balance as per Bank Pass		Total Cheques Outstanding	

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ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
Total Bank Balances as of Dec. 31, 1924		Total Outstanding Charges as of Dec. 31, 1924	
Balance Dec. 31, 1924	\$125,419.13	Unconnected Taxes	\$ 2,287.69
Cash on Hand	2096.67	Sup. Revenue	3912.42
Uncollected Taxes	5491.51	Wild Lands	1247.81
Sup. Revenue	3912.42	Educational	1617.67
Land	1247.81	School	8710.31
School	357.04	Dus Dege Tax Collections	
Educational	8710.31	Sup. Revenue	3192.56
Wild Lands	1247.81	Wild Lands	118.29
Destruction of Pests and		Educational	688.54
Animal Nurseries	129.64	Dus School Districts	1342.50
Aid to School Districts			600.00
In Excess of Collections	952.52	Due School Accounts as follows	
Unconnected Taxes		Tax Sale Act, Balance	
Grain	74.66	purchase price	58.63
Land	175.59	Survey fees	227.60
Lands and Buildings for		Transfer paid	56.23
Municipal Purposes	1097.58	Sundry Accounts	56.23
Animal Nurseries and			
Fixtures	575.00		
Machinery and			
tools	2425.00		
Commissions due on Taxes	Collected		
3117.52			
Other Assets as follows			
Accounts Receivable			
Rent of Cook			
Shop	35.00		
Machinery			
Sales	500.00		
Coal	175.25		
Culverts in w	710.25		
Grasshopper Poison on	4000.00		
land, estimated at			
75.00			
TOTAL	\$688,870.67	Balance Assets over	\$688,870.67
		LIABILITIES	\$688,870.67

MEMORANDUM OF EQUIPMENT	Mixers, 6 Road Maintainers, and Miscellaneous Tools, valued at \$2425.00
	Municipal Office Equipment—1 Safe,

5 Graders, 7 Wheel Scrapers, 10	1 Adding Machine, 1 Desk, 1 Table.
Plows, 26 Frenos, 16 Road Drags, 4	1 Typewriter, 13 Chairs, 1 Lamp, 1
road Drag Blades, 1 Cart, Tender for	Heater, 1 Filing Cabinet, valued
Drags, 2 Whipple Trees, 2 Poison	at ----- \$975.00
	Total Estimated Value ----- \$3400.00

EXPENDITURE ON PUBLIC WORKS

charging year	Location of Expenditure	Labor	Materials & Repairs	Material	Total
1925	Division 1	1136.50	277.98	377.98	1514.48
1926	Division 2	274.25	25	29.42	608.57
1927	Division 3	1440.72	69.65	1510.37	1580.37
1928	Division 4	566.70	11.65	578.35	580.00
1929	Division 5	2268.24	318.95	2585.19	2585.19
1930	Division 6	1048.48	285.80	1334.28	1334.28
1931	Division at large	1379.17		1379.17	1379.17
TOTALS		6981.88	1379.17	1085.95	9447.01

I hereby Certify to the Correctness of this Statement.
 Dated at Strathmore the 27th day of January, 1925.

JOHN H. WILLIAMS
 Chartered Accountant

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W. G. WAY,
Secretary - Treasurer.

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28
29	30	31	32
33	34	35	36
37	38	39	40
41	42	43	44
45	46	47	48
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53	54	55	56
57	58	59	60
61	62	63	64
65	66	67	68
69	70	71	72
73	74	75	76
77	78	79	80
81	82	83	84
85	86	87	88
89	90	91	92
93	94	95	96
97	98	99	100

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
Balance Dec. 31, 1924—		Total Outstanding Cheques	
Total Bank Balances as per		at Dec. 31, 1924	\$ 2387.69
Pass Bks.	\$19322.51	Uncollected Taxes—	
Cash on Hand	2096.67	Supp. Revenue	3912.42
Uncollected Taxes—	\$21419.18	Wild Lands	124.71

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURE FOR DESTRUCTION OF PESTS

Purpose & Nature of Expenditure	Total Amount Expended by District During 1924.	Expended by District not chargeable to land.	Expended by Dist. Chargeable to Land.	Amount Repaid to District	Amount Outstanding			
			Amount	Arrears	Penalties			
Extirmination of Gophers and Grasshoppers and	282.47	District at Large	190.18	323.40	13.74	402.68	129.64	Cancelled 60c

STATEMENT OF SEED GRAIN, FEED & RELIEF ADVANCES

	Remains with Interest	Total Current Income with Interest	Total Amount Repaid by Loans in 1924	Am't. Advanced to Farmers on Current Loans	Arrows with Interest	Advance and Remains with Interest	Total Amount Repaid by Farmers on Current Loans During Year	Balance Carried Over to Dec. 31, 1924	Pat. in Seed Grain Feed & Acres at Dec. 31, 1924
Seed Grain	77.96	57.36	57.96	Arrears	828.60	874.66	125.00	749.66	
Relief		205.50		Interest	48.46		236.99	236.99	

REPORT REMUNERATION OF COUNCILLORS FOR SUPERVISION OF ROADS *Indemnity Council Meetings*
(Sec. 63, Par. 2, M.D. Act, Revised Statutes 1922.) (Sec. 63, Par. 1, M.D. Act.) *and Mileage*

Division		Name of Supervisor	Days Engaged	Rate per Day	a				b				c				
					Amount Due	Days Traveled	Rate per Mile	Amount Due	Total Due	Amount Paid During Year	Amount Due	Number	Rate	Amount	Total Due	Amount Paid During Year	
Division 1	H. Lausen	43%	4.00	19.00	104	10	10.40	29.40	29.40	10	4.00	40.00	260	10	26.00	70.00	70.00
Division 2	C. F. Lauder	22%	4.00	8.00	22	0	0.00	8.00	8.00	10	4.00	40.00	270	10	27.00	73.00	65.00
Division 2	H. Lausen	24%	4.00	10.00	45	10	4.50	14.50	14.50	10	4.00	40.00	260	10	26.00	60.00	60.00
Division 2	E. B. Weidman	4%	4.00	16.00	167	10	16.70	22.70	22.70	7	4.00	28.00	200	10	20.00	60.00	60.00
Division 2	E. F. Wheeler	4%	4.00	8.00	110	10	11.00	19.00	19.00	7	4.00	28.00	154	10	15.40	42.00	42.00
Division 2	A. J. J. Weyers	4%	4.00	22.00	257	10	25.00	48.00	48.00	10	4.00	40.00	180	10	18.00	58.00	58.00
Division 2	H. S. B. Chamberlain	8%	4.00	33.00	310	10	31.70	64.70	64.70	9	5.00	45.00	120	10	12.00	58.00	65.00

PARTICULARS OF CREDITS & DISBURSEMENTS OF DIVISIONS

Division	Jan. 1, 1924	Jan. 1, 1924	Jan. 1, 1924	Jan. 1, 1924	Jan. 1, 1924	Jan. 1, 1924	Jan. 1, 1924	Jan. 1, 1924	Jan. 1, 1924	Balance at Dec. 31, 1924	
										Dr.	Cr.
Division 1	1855.00		435.02	2290.02	1514.48	29.40	1542.88	1542.88		746.14	
Division 2	2608.00		135.10	2743.10	69.10	16.40	2677.60	2677.60		1075.92	
Division 3	1617.00		33.20	1650.20	29.37	32.70	1588.07	1549.07		106.13	
Division 4	5500.00			5500.00			5500.00	5500.00		201.22	
Division 5	2548.00		62.41	2610.41	2526.19	48.00	2578.19	2573.19		49.22	
Division 6	1479.00			1479.00	1474.28	64.70	1390.30	1390.30		435.69	
TOTALS	10778.00	314.3	830.36	11592.83	1580.83	767.50	1330.24	1330.24			

SCHOOL TAXES

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NUMBER OF RESIDENT FARMERS IN DISTRICT 212		ESTIMATED CROWNED	
1950	11,170	1950	11,170
1951	11,170	1951	11,170
1952	11,170	1952	11,170
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2026	11,170	2026	11,170
2027	11,170	2027	11,170
2028	11,170	2028	11,170
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Curing

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A two weeks local bontepel opened on Monday evening. Play for the Grand Challenge was started. Here with are the results of last night's games:

James 12, W. Anderson 6.
Hamby 5, Geo. Anderson 7.
Hyde 13, Quin 4.
Warren 7, R. Gray 4.

Competition for the Citizens Cup open on Wednesday.

Bowling

The Coyotes increased their lead in the Hub Bowling League on Monday night by taking three straight games off the runners-up, the Gingers.

Following is the standing to date:

	Played	Won	Lost
Coyotes	45	22	13
Gingers	45	27	18
Badgers	42	21	21
Wanderers	42	21	21
Beavers	42	22	21
Go-Getters	39	18	21
Ramblers	39	18	21
Nightingales	39	18	21
January 28—Gingers (220) 2, Coyotes (617) 1.			
Ramblers (612) 2, Badgers (585) 1.			
February 2—Coyotes (711) 3, Gingers (653) 0.			
Beavers (735) 3, Ramblers (567) 0.			

Union Church Notes**FATHER AND SON WEEK**

February 9th to 15th, is the Canadian "Father and Son Week." A number of events will serve to emphasize the purpose of the idea in Strathmore. There will be athletic and recreational contests, and a big banquet will be given on Tuesday night. Mr. Lydian is training a class for this event. On Sunday, February 15, the Boys' Organization will have charge of the service at 7:30 in the Union church.

The purpose of the Father and Son movement is to help Fathers to appreciate and understand their sons, and vice versa, and then to encourage Fathers and Sons in co-operative effort to face the life of today with its great demands, especially with regard to the church and church-school.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hartschorn at a July 10th party on Friday evening, when cards were played at three tables. Later in the evening the house served a very dainty supper, after which Mr. Jack Gannon, delighted the guests with his music at the piano. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Knowlton, Miss M. A. Peden, Mr. S. Clendinning, Miss E. Allan, Mr. O. Jensen, Miss M. Webb, Mr. Jack Gannon, Mr. M. Christensen, Mr. H. Giverson.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. D. McLeod, on January 26th, a daughter.

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Read the Advs.**Strathmore School District ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENT AND AUDITOR'S REPORT**

Strathmore School District, No. 1587, of the Province of Alberta, for the year 1924.

Trustees' Report

Statement prepared by the Trustees of the Strathmore School District for the annual meeting of ratepayers, held at the Town Hall on Thursday, January 29th, 1925, at 8 p.m.

(a) Names of Trustees—
J. A. FIENCH, Chairman.
GEO. E. QUINN.
GEO. B. ANDERSON.
JOHN THOMPSON.
O. D. SHIRTON.
(b) The officers of the District, appointed by the Trustees; and their salaries are—
Secretary-Treasurer, J. W. Cope \$240.00
School Attendance Officer 65.00
Total \$305.00

(c) There was one resignation from the Board during the year—
Trustee Penn (lineing line) self unable to continue as a Trustee on account of business. He was succeeded by Trustee Thompson, who was elected without opposition.
(d) The present Board have entered into an engagement to pay \$250.00 for the installation of two Cautic Sanitary Closets which will be payable in cash on March 1st, 1925, or may be carried over until November 1st, 1925, with 7% interest from March 1st, 1925 to November 1st, 1925. The engagement was entered into by the Trustees on the 15th of February, 1925. The amount of \$250.00 was paid on the 15th of February, 1925, and the balance of \$240.00 was paid on the 15th of March, 1925. The balance of \$10.00 was paid on the 15th of April, 1925. The balance of \$10.00 was paid on the 15th of May, 1925. The balance of \$10.00 was paid on the 15th of June, 1925. The balance of \$10.00 was paid on the 15th of July, 1925. The balance of \$10.00 was paid on the 15th of August, 1925. The balance of \$10.00 was paid on the 15th of September, 1925. The balance of \$10.00 was paid on the 15th of October, 1925. The balance of \$10.00 was paid on the 15th of November, 1925. 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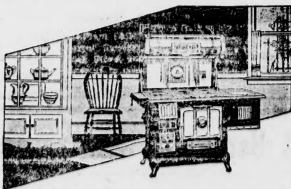
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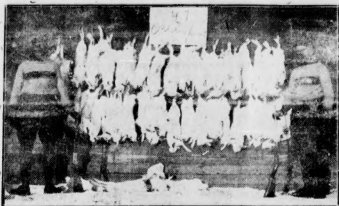
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A Day's Rabbit Hunt at Strathmore



Adolf and Fritz Enlund, 12 miles north-east Strathmore, with 47 rabbits shot by them on January 7, 1925.

Wedding

BARKER—MARTIN

The home of Mr. and Mrs. John Mackenzie, Strathmore, was the scene of a pretty wedding at noon on Wednesday, January 28, when Marjory daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Martin, of Delnadesne, became the bride of Harry, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Barker, of Okotoks. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. A. H. Lowe, in the presence of the immediate relatives of the young couple. Miss Edith Martin officiated as bridesmaid, while the groom was supported by his brother, C. G. Barker.

A dainty buffet luncheon was served after the ceremony.

Amid showers of confetti and the good wishes of their friends the happy couple took the afternoon train for Vancouver, Seattle and other Canadian points. Upon their return they will reside on the groom's farm near Okotoks.

Those present included Miss Anna Barker, sister of the groom, his brothers Cecil and Willis, Mr. and Mrs. James Martin, the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Snape, and son, Rossano, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Robison, Carleton Place, Jim Martin, brother of the bride, and Mr. and Mrs. Mackenzie. The bride looked very pretty in a dress of navy blue periwinkle, heavily beaded, with grey hat and shoes to match, and a bouquet of Ophelia roses and white heather. She was the recipient of many beautiful presents, including a silver tea service from her co-workers in the Calgary office of the C.P.R. Department of Natural Resources.



THIS HAT WILL STAND HARD WEAR. THAT'S WHAT IT IS—HARDWARE!

Well, well—here's a new wrinkle in stylish Millinery creations. An "all Hardware" hat. And cheap in price, at that.

That they were capable designers is shown by the above photo of the winner—Miss Mary Tidwell. The prize winning hat she is wearing was made of the following material: 1 pan, 1 paint brush, 1 pair of scissors, 1 lamp burner and 2 tea balls, used as ear bobs.

Social—Personal

Mr. A. S. Dawson, chief engineer of the C.P.R. Department of Natural Resources, has been elected vice-president of the Engineering Institute of Canada, representing the four western provinces.

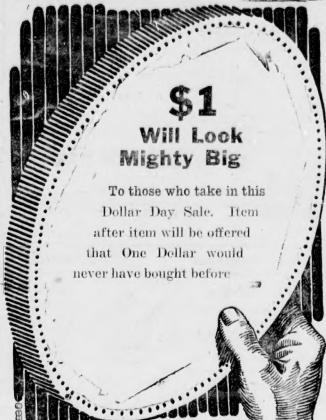
Mr. A. S. Shaw, painter and decorator, is returning to Strathmore to reside this month.

Mr. W. Saunders attended the Hardware Dealers Convention at Calgary last week.

Mr. Gatskill, of Calgary, has been appointed in charge of the poultry department of the Demonstration Farm, in place of Mr. Hawkins, who has left for Manitoba. Mr. Gatskill was for several years in the C.E.P. during the war, with the rank of Major.

Mr. J. B. O. Ledwell made a business trip to Edmonton last week.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Norman Haines on Sunday morning.



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6 cans Tomatoes.
6 cans Corn.
6 cans Peas.
7 tall tins Milk.
13 Jelly Powders.
8 cans Pork & Beans.
18 bars Sunny Monday Soap.
15 tins Sardines.

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Reg. 50c lb., 2½ lbs.
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5 yards Gingham for \$1.00
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Prints, 4 yards \$1.00
Flannellette, Reg. 30c yd., 4 yds. \$1.00
Oxford Shirting, 5 yards for \$1.00
Galatea, 4 yds. \$1.00
Printed Voile, 3 yds. for \$1.00
Shepherd Check, 3 yards for \$1.00
All-wool Homespun, 1½ yds. for \$1.00
TOBACCOS
½ lb. Brier Cut Plug and pkt. of matches for \$1.00
½ lb. Buckingham and pkt. matches \$1.00
½ lb. Ozdons and pkt. of matches \$1.00

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Phones: 18 Groceries

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LUMP, ton \$7.75
STOVE, ton \$6.75

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GRAIN PRICES

The following grain prices are for
grain by wagon-load at Strathmore,
not track prices, and for information
of the public only. Figures are kind-
ly supplied by Mr. T. H. Eves, of the
Robin Hood Elevator.

February 3rd, 1925

Track, Vancouver	Wheat	2.05 1/2
No. 1	1.82	
2	1.77	
3	1.72	
	Oats	
2 C.W.	.55	
3 C.W.	.52	
Ex. No. 1 Feed	.51	
	Flax	
No. 1	2.50	
2	2.45	
	Barley	
No. 3	.82	
4	.77	
	Hay	
2 C.W.	1.45	
3 C.W.	1.38	

FRATERNAL



Strathmore G.W.A.

Meeting in Memorial
Hall 2nd Tuesday of
each month
All Requested Men are
cordially welcomed as members
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sentative.
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Strathmore, Alta.

NEXT WEEK WITH THE CUVEROSES

Sunday, February 8th, 1925

February is Home Month.
Children's Illustrated Service second
Sunday of month; subject "John Bun-
yan—a Great Home Missionary."
Let us come to church by families.
Cheese—Combined service at 1:30
o'clock.

Strathmore—Public Worship at 7:30
o'clock.
Church School at 11 o'clock.
Orchestra will lead in the music.
Adult Bible Class and classes for
every age.

Meeting for Praise, Prayer, and Teach-
ing, Tuesday, at 8 p.m.
All welcome.

"Pioneers" Beaver Lodge, Tuesday at
7 p.m.
"Nonpareil" Tuxis Thursdays at 7:30
p.m.

Canadian Girls in Training meet at
3:30 p.m. on Thursdays.

ARTHUR H. HOWE,
Minister

ST. MICHAEL AND ALL ANGELES CHURCH

The annual meeting of the parishion-
ers of the above parish will be held
on Monday, the 26th day of January,
at 8:30 p.m. in the dining room of the
Memorial Hall. A social will be held
at the close of the meeting.

January 25th—8:30 a.m. Holy Com-
munion.

11 a.m.—Matins.

7:30 p.m.—Evensong.

R.N.—Services at Strathmore every
Sunday, both morning and evening,
until further notice.

A. V. CURRIE, Incumbent

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

at Strathmore, Mass. at

3rd Sunday of month, Mass at

Langdon 9 a.m., Strathmore at 11 a.m.

Rev. J. E. DUGGAN, Pastor

Baintree Sidelights

Fellow Farmers, Dairymen, Bee
Keepers, and all others who follow the
honorable, but ill rewarded profession
of agriculture, greetings! (Critic Mark
Anthony, we seek not to bury the
dead, nor yet to pull the tail of any-
body's goat. We merely invite your
attention to the fact that we are again
living beneath the leaky roof of our
own "tumble down shack." So if you
will continue to struggle your case for
a few unhappy moments, we will be
pleased to tell you of our adventures
while in search of that elusive thing
which, from time immemorial, has
been the object of mankind—a little
ready cash. One dark and stormy
night, when the heavy moon was shin-
ing bright, we arrived at the encamp-
ment of a friendly Arab. The old gen-
tleman gave us a beautiful feed of sourkraut
and wafers, and during the course
of the meal we learned that he was
an antiquarian as well as a historian.
On being informed that our old white
team was the one which had led the
last charge of the "Gygas and Gar-
don" at Waterloo, he offered us a
trade which restored the shattered
fortune far beyond our wildest
dream. In return for Napoleon and
Josephine we received a black nut,
one ton of tobacco, six ounces of coal,
ten pounds of oatmeal, one shot of
Jimmy Walker, and twenty-three cents
in coin of the realm. What more does
a guy need anyway? The nut we
revealed unto you, "Alas and Alas!"
All we can say at present is this: "It
is better to be the orphan child of a
stepfather than to own a braying
don of a donkey."

Once again the annual convention
of the U.F.A. is over. Mr. C. C. Chap-
man, who was the delegate from the
Baintree Local, was accompanied by
Mrs. Chapman, Mrs. J. W. Bennett,
Mrs. T. Longbottom, and her sister,
Mrs. Mary Hadden, were intercessory
visitors at a number of the sessions.
It is hardly necessary to say that as
vice-president of the ladies organi-
zation, Mrs. F. E. Wynne played a
prominent part in the great event.
"Peace and goodwill" related supreme
throughout the entire proceeding, and
the various delegates returned to their
farming homes full of faith and hope
in the future. Such is the power of
well-directed efforts supported by
loyalty and devotion.

Written before the birth of Christ,
this fine piece of philosophy still
holds good: "Grieve not that men do
not know you, but grieve that they do
not know me."

In one of the Eastern States, Protest-
ants and Roman Catholics worship in
the same church. Such was the state
of a news item which appeared lately
in the columns of a daily journal.
Speed the day when the whole world
will follow the noble and broadminded
example.

On account of the severe weather,
the joint meeting of the U.F.A. and
U.F.W.A. billed for Friday evening,
was postponed until further notice.

Mrs. Lee Haymond, of Drumheller,
is spending a few days with Mr. and
Mrs. Dick Jacobs.

On Thursday afternoon the newly
organized Community Club held a
meeting at the home of Mrs. Jacobs.
Eighteen members were present, and
the following officers were elected:
President, Miss May Longbottom;
Vice-president, Mrs. David Jacobs;
Sec. Treas., Mrs. V. C. Chapman. All
who are interested in the social life
of the district are cordially invited to
attend the next meeting. Ladies are
particularly knocked loudly at the door.
We urge you to heed; we urge you to
revive the old days which made our
little world a happy place to live in.

On Wednesday evening the hosts of
Mrs. Rogers, of Rockyford, and Mr.
McFetich also took part in the fun.

Putting aside an endless array of
dainties, jogganquand down the big
hill, and strenuous endeavours to rend
fence posts and garments asunder,
were the outstanding features of the
programme. Both groups were grati-
fied by Mr. and Mrs. Glendinning for
the joyous evening.

Say fellows, before we feed the
mule a couple of snowballs, tell us
where were you when the annual meet-
ing of the school district was being
held?

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A unique and much appreciated ser-
vice for the municipal hospital at Red
Deer was performed recently by the
Rotary Club of that city, when the
club installed a radio set for the hos-
pital. An adjacent section may be
providing ear-sets for each patient's
bed in the hospital.

ALBERTA'S LEGISLATURE

The 1925 session of the Alberta Leg-
islature will be convened on February
15. A session of six or eight weeks is
anticipated. An adjournment may be
necessary later in the year to deal
with the northern railway problem
following negotiations being com-
pleted between the C. P. R. and C. N. R.
authorities.

Here and There

The following apt comment on the
careless motorist and his ultimate
fate comes from the Boston
Transcript:

"If a freight train at a crossing
"Hits an auto fair and square
"There's the freight train—Where's
the car?"

"Echo answers 'Where?'"

Trees at the rate of 20,000 a day
have been planted by farmers in
Western Canada during the last 20
years, according to a report of the
Federal Department of Agriculture.
A total of 150,000,000 young trees,
the report shows, has been distrib-
uted to farmers in that section in
1905.

Canada has entered into negotia-
tions with Germany for a trade
agreement which will give her the
benefit of the most favored nations
agreement. Experts to that country
very nearly doubled during 1924
and at the close of the year Ger-
many was practically in the position
of being Canada's third best
customer.

A co-operative shipment of poultry
to New York City, consigned and
handled by the Dominion Poultry
Service, Alberta branch,
brought good results. The shipment
consisted of two refrigerated
carloads of turkeys and the ship-
pers received 25 cents a pound for
their birds. The New York selling
price being 41 cents a pound.

Among the interesting books of the
season is "Canada's Great High-
way: from the First State to the
Last Spine," by J. H. E. Scroten,
C.E. (published by Thorburn and
Abbott, Ottawa). Dealing with the
early history of the Canadian Pac-
ific Railway, the volume contains
rare reminiscences of life in con-
struction days as experienced by
the author, who was a member of
the company's engineering staff.

Sailing from New York on Janu-
ary 14, the "Empress of France,"
palatial Canadian Pacific steam-
ship, will begin the "round-the-world
cruise," which is to last 130 days.
The vessel was galley decked with flags
and filled with happy passengers
by a number of international well-
known newspaper artists, creators of
famous comic strip characters.
In the center of the card is a picture
of the Colonel, while grouped around
him, commenting on his good qual-
ities, are signed drawings of Pa
Perkins, Tillie the Toiler and Mac
Barney Google and Spark Plug,
Our Gang and Dumb Dora. Colonel
Hain is naturally very proud of the
card.

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Cash must accompany ads.

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FOR SALE, A few extra choice young
bronze nobblers, weight 20 to 24
pounds, early hatch, \$5.00. Also 1
five-year-old pure-bred Shorthorn
bull, at a real bargain. Apply Mil-
ler and Clemons, P. O. Box 9, or
phone 36, Rockyford. 11-2u

FOR SALE, Registered Tamworth
Boar, Gilbert stock, weight 400 lbs.
Price 20. Papers furnished. Apply
Harvey Hanson, Nanaima. 4-2u

FOR SALE, Holstein Bull, bred by
the Strathmore Farm, 4-year-old,
well broke, \$50. Apply E. T.
Wheeler, Nanaima, Phone R109. 4-2p

FOR SALE, Pure-bred Berkshire Boar,
2-year-old, a very good type. Apply
R. J. Poole, Nipitangine, Phone
R1606. 4-2u

FOR SALE, Registered Yorkshire
Sows, will farrow April, 125 each.
G. B. Field, Carleton Place, 416,
Strathmore. 18-2u

Miscellaneous

WANTED to buy Turkey Hens. Apply
P.O. Box 42, or phone 1239, Strathmore.
11-2u

FOR SALE, Cook Stove, Pumed Oak
Dining Room Suite, Small Leather
Lounge, Winger, etc. Apply Mrs.
H. Williams, Third St. 4-2ufa

LOST, on January 17, at Strathmore,
Purse containing sum of money.
Reward for return to Otto Miller,
C.P.R. Farm, Strathmore. 4-2p

FOR SALE, 1 Registered Bacon Type
Berkshire Boar, coming 2-year-old.
Apply Harry Groves, Phone 1107,
Strathmore. 28-1ufu

Farms for Sale or Rent

WANTED TO RENT, by experienced
farmer, improved farm, from one-
half to three-quarter section, with
four or five roomed house, well, and
barn for 8 to 12 horses. Apply by
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How many votes will be polled in the next Federal Election?

The Family Herald and Weekly Star are offering Ten Thou-
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